



**Smithville Area Chamber of Commerce  
Membership Meeting  
April 11, 2007**

**CALL TO ORDER:** The Smithville Area Chamber of Commerce's monthly membership meeting was held at the Good Shepherd Catholic Church with approximately 79 members present. Steve Wolcott called the meeting to order at 11:54am. Jeff Timlick gave the invocation. Steve Wolcott led the pledge of allegiance.

**MINUTES AND TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Minutes and Treasurer's report read and approved: Motion made by Ruth Holmes and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Sooter.

**Program:** School Counselor's from the district recognized individuals in the community for outstanding support in the district.

The S.W.A.T. (Smithville Warriors Advanced Technology) showed us a demonstration from their recent competition.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**City Report:** Gerry Vernon reported

- The newly elected officials are getting ready to be sworn in.
- Strategic Planning meeting will be held May 8<sup>th</sup>. They are looking for community input. It will be informal and held from 6:30-8:30pm.

**School Report:**

- High School awarded Greg Kruger for his hard work and contributions with the S.W.A.T. team at the High School.

**Executive Director:** Susan Cintron reported

- Chamber will be sending out Octoberfest packets soon.
- Thanked Just Like Home Learning Center for Co-Sponsoring the Easter Egg hunt.
- Smithville/Kearney Golf Tournament is June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at Paradise golf course.
- Gas Raffle will be drawn at the June 13<sup>th</sup> during the chamber luncheon.
- Susan reported on the Chamber University. The last day will be May 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Hospitality Report:** Kelly Busch reported

- She will be ordering coupon books by May 1<sup>st</sup>. If you want in the book you need to let her know by the 1<sup>st</sup>.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT:**

**Old Business:**

- We've acquired all the by laws from surrounding chambers and will be completing a new by law book by fall.

**New Business:**

- No new business to report

Special announcements:

- Greg Atkins ask to give School officials a standing ovation for their hard work
- April is Child Abuse Awareness month
- Springfling and Shop hop will be held April 21<sup>st</sup> 10am to 4pm at all the downtown businesses

Meeting adjourned at 12:58 p.m.